Carlos J. Owens

Emergency Cease and Desist Order

DATE: November 7, 2001 RESPONDENTS: Carlos J. Owens, of Wichita, Kansas ORDER: Emergency Cease and Desist Order issued to Owens for allegedly advertising in the *Wichita Eagle* offering Kansas residents the opportunity to invest in his business opportunity. For a \$3,000 investment, an investor would receive 6% of the net profits realized from the sale of a new automotive de-icer product that Owens anticipated to patent, market, and retail.

Notice to Investors: If you are not a resident of Kansas and have been affected by actions that are similar to those described in this synopsis, you should consider contacting your state securities regulator for assistance. To locate your securities regulator, go to the <u>North American Securities Administrators Association</u> website. If you choose to contact your state securities regulator, please inform him or her of the action taken by the State of Kansas.